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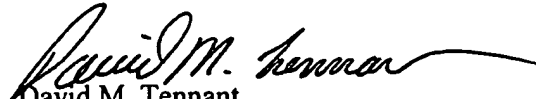
The relevance of USP 3,262,762, to Bechtold et al. was learned of on August 10, 2004 in a phone call from the Examiner, which may be applicable to allowed claim 41.

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